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BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES
PURSUANT TO PUBLIC LAW 108-18

Docket No. R2005-1

MOTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR ACCEPTANCE OF LATE FILING OF REPLY TO MOTION TO COMPEL A RESPONSE TO DFC/USPS-54]
(June 24, 2005)

The United States Postal Service hereby moves that the Postal Rate

Commission accept for filing today its reply in opposition to the June 16, 2005,

motion of Douglas Carlson to compel a response to DFC/USPS-54. The reply

was due to have been filed yesterday. The combination of a disruption to office

functions to accommodate the Great Law Department Carpet Replacement

Project and the press of business after computers were reconnected yesterday

prevented a timely filing of this particular pleading. The Postal Service regrets

the delay but considers that no party has been prejudiced by it.

Respectfully submitted,

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